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1. ANALYSIS OF GIANT SCALE [REDACTED]  
REVEALS A FURTHER EXTENSION OF THE PETROLEUM PIPELINE (PPL) ORIGINATING IN NORTH VIETNAM AND CROSSING THE DMZ INTO SOUTH VIETNAM. THIS PPL HAS BEEN EXTENDED INTO THE A SHAU VALLEY OF SOUTH VIETNAM, SINCE GIANT SCALE [REDACTED]

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2. THE NEW 14 STATUTE MILE SEGMENT OF PIPELINE TRACE IS LOCATED APPROXIMATELY 14.5 MILES SOUTH OF THE PREVIOUS TERMINUS OF THIS PIPELINE SYSTEM AT BA LONG [REDACTED] REPORTED IN REFERENCE. IT IS VISIBLE FROM [REDACTED] SOUTHWARD ALONG ROUTE 548 TO THE RECENTLY CONSTRUCTED A LUOI PETROLEUM STORAGE AREA AT [REDACTED] TWO PROBABLE PUMPING STATIONS ARE LOCATED ALONG THE NEW SEGMENT OF PIPELINE: ONE AT [REDACTED] AND ANOTHER AT [REDACTED]

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3. THE PPL COULD NOT BE OBSERVED IN THE AREA BETWEEN THE PREVIOUS REPORTED TERMINUS SOUTH OF BA LONG AT [REDACTED] THIS 14 MILE LONG AREA IS COVERED BY EXTREMELY DENSE TREE CANOPY. PHOTO REF: GIANT SCALE MISSION [REDACTED]

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MAP REF: AMS SERIES L706 SHEETS 6441 AND 6442.  
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